

Preparing for War !!

GETTING IN SHAPE FOR

The Fall Campaign.

WE are just through TAKING STOCK and find that we still have some—

Summer Goods

That must be sold in order to make room for—

Fall and Winter Goods

Soon to arrive. Conspicuous among our SUMMER OFFERINGS just now is our—

Entire Stock Of Things Ready-to-Wear!

Consisting of about

200 Ladies' Summer Shirt Waists.

35 Ladies' Summer Wrappers.

65 Ladies' Summer Skirts,

And all Gauze Underwear

THAT HAS BEEN CUT TO THE QUICK.

— ALSO —

All Summer Dress Goods,

Summer Novelties,

Summer Millinery,

Summer Oxfords, &c.

DON'T

WAIT

UNTIL

THE

SUMMER

IS OVER

BUT COME AT ONCE!

We have many Bargains in store for you. Summer Goods will be offered regardless of cost.

From now on we will begin opening up some early purchases for Fall, and to the early buyers and young ladies going away to school or elsewhere we wish to say that we have anticipated their wants.

To Merchants

Wishing to buy early we wish to say that we are prepared for them.

Yours truly,

Brown, Osborne & Co.

Wholesale and Retail Dealers in

General Merchandise.

ANDERSON, S. C.

Local News.

WEDNESDAY, AUG. 15, 1900.

The local weather prophet predicts an early Fall.

Quite a number of visitors, both old and young, are in the city.

Rev. J. D. Chapman has gone to Caesar's Head to rest and recuperate.

Several communications reached us too late for publication this week.

Read about Brown, Osborne & Co.'s sale of Summer goods in this issue.

Mr. John Schrimp, of York County, is visiting relatives in this County.

Mrs. W. S. Breazeale, of Abbeville, is in Anderson visiting Mrs. W. C. Lee.

Mr. G. Ernest Brown, of Birmingham, Ala., is in the city visiting relatives.

Mrs. T. S. Crayton and sister, Miss Florence Percival, have gone to Baltimore.

Mr. Joe. B. McGee, Jr., of Charlotte, N. C., is in the city visiting his parents.

Mr. W. G. Watson has returned from the mountains greatly improved in health.

Julius H. Weil & Co. are still offering bargains. Read their new advertisement.

The new advertisement of C. F. Jones & Co. will tell you something about shoes.

Vandiver Bros. have a new advertisement in another column that will interest you.

Mayor Tolly and the new Aldermen took charge of the city government this morning.

Miss Jennie Bowie is spending the week in Greenville visiting her sister, Mrs. Robinson.

Rev. O. J. Copeland will begin a series of meetings at Mountain Creek Church to-morrow night.

Prof. Manton Frierson, of the Presbyterian College at Batesville, Ark., is in the city visiting relatives.

Mrs. S. Bleckley and Mr. and Mrs. Fred B. Maxwell have gone to the mountains to spend a few days.

The new steel cells are being placed in position in the County Jail. They are guaranteed to be mob proof.

The Knights of Pythias will meet to-morrow evening at 8:30 o'clock. All the members are urged to attend.

A number of Anderson County farmers are attending the Farmers' Institute at Clemson College this week.

Miss Floride Carswell, daughter of Rev. E. R. Carswell, of Augusta, Ga., is in the city visiting Mrs. Eugene Milford.

If your name is not enrolled on a Democratic Club list by the 23rd inst. you cannot vote in the primary election.

All persons interested in the Ebenezer Churchyard are requested to meet there on Friday, 17th inst., for the purpose of clearing it off.

The County campaign goes on smoothly. The meeting is at Honea Path to-day, to-morrow at Williamston, and to-morrow night at Felzer.

Some of the hottest weather ever known in this section has been experienced during the past week. The mercury got high up in the nineties.

In the Democratic primary two years ago there were 4,190 votes cast. It is generally believed that the vote in the coming primary will exceed that number.

The base ball season in Anderson this year has come to a close. The team disbanded last Friday, and the young men composing it have left the city.

Rock Mills Democratic Club will meet next Saturday, 18th inst., at 4 o'clock. It will be an important meeting, and every member is urged to attend.

Mr. W. D. Mayfield announces his candidacy for Railroad Commissioner in this issue, and gives a condensed platform. See his card in another column.

Mr. L. A. Parker, formerly of this County but now of Cordele, Ga., who is visiting his parents in this County, was in the city last Friday and gave us an appreciated call.

The following candidates are announced at this time for the House of Representatives, J. A. Hall, Coroner, N. F. Bantister, Magistrate, J. J. Beck, J. C. C. Featherston, B. F. Wilson.

Last Friday the Dispensary was closed, and as a consequence Anderson had one prohibition day. Not a drunk man was seen during the day, and the police did not make an arrest.

Married, in the Baptist Church at Honea Path, on Tuesday morning, August 7, 1900, by Rev. C. E. Burts, Mr. James R. Austin and Miss Bessie M. Shirley, both of Honea Path.

Letters are being received in Anderson every few days from persons inquiring about storerooms and dwelling houses and seeking other information, with a view of coming here to locate.

Married, on Tuesday evening, August 7, 1900, at the residence of the bride's father, Mr. J. L. Arnold, in this city, by Rev. H. B. Fant, Mr. J. W. Gammel, of Atlanta, Ga., and Miss Annie Arnold.

The Democratic club at Holland's Store will meet next Saturday afternoon, 18th inst., at 4 o'clock. Business of importance will come before the Club and all the members are urged to attend.

Miss Sample Tensley, of Starr, S. C., is visiting relatives and friends in the city. Miss Sample was a bright pupil of the Hartwell Institute last term, and has a legion of admirers here.—Hartwell (Ga.) Sun.

The annual camp meeting of the negroes at Mt. Sinai, Savannah Township, closed yesterday. The crowd in attendance is said to have been larger than usual, and good order prevailed throughout the meeting.

We are receiving many invitations to visit our friends in various sections of the County, and regret exceedingly that we can't accept all of them, for we know each of them would make our visit a most delightful one.

The People's Furniture Co. make their bow to our readers this week, and we ask you to read their announcement carefully. The managers, Messrs. Ben. B. Bleckley and Noel B. Sharpe, are men who are not only more than pleased to serve you, but also to see their big stock and get their prices.

Married, on Sunday evening, August 12, 1900, at the residence of Mr. J. T. Bantister, by R. B. A. Robinson, Pastor Public, Mr. Millard F. Jarrett, of Abbeville County, and Miss Sallie E. Asbury, of Anderson County.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Townsend, Miss Maggie and Mr. George W. Evans, who have been attending the Paris exposition and visiting other sections of Europe, reached home last Monday, and report a most enjoyable trip.

THE INTELLIGENCER force is under many obligations to our clever young friend, S. J. Buchanan, of Iowa, for a basket of fine peaches, which he presented to us last Monday. They were the most delicious peaches we ever ate.

Mr. J. D. Campbell, of Belton, the official stenographer of the Seventh Circuit, left last Thursday for Put-in-Bay, Ohio, to attend the annual meeting of the National Shorthand Reporters' Association of which he is secretary and treasurer.

A few nights preceding the election in North Carolina there was a Democratic parade in Asheville. A mob fired into the crowd and the ball struck Mr. J. C. Wallace, formerly of Anderson, in the leg. It was a painful but not a serious wound, and Mr. Wallace is doing well.

It has been reported that some disreputable methods of electioneering have been adopted by certain parties in the County campaign. We do not know the scheming men who are resorting to these base methods to help their friends, but let every voter refuse to support a candidate whose friends work in that dirty way.

Anderson will be well represented at Wallhalla's Semi-Centennial celebration on Thursday and Friday, 23rd and 24th inst. The Blue Ridge train will leave Anderson each morning at 7 o'clock and return each evening at 7:30 o'clock. Rate, one fare for the round trip from all stations along the Road.

After delighting her many friends with a visit of several weeks, Mrs. J. C. Leak, with her three little daughters, returned to their home in Charlotte, N. C., on last Saturday. Charlotte is a progressive, up-to-date city, and must hold some magnet to draw our people, as many of the Andersonians are now making their home there.

Jesse Newton, the 8-months-old son of Mr. and Mrs. John A. Fant, died at their home, near Belton, on Friday, 10th inst. The little one had suffered for only a week. Being the first born and only child, of course the father and mother's heart is sorely bereaved, and their many friends deeply sympathize with them.

Rev. J. D. Chapman, of Anderson, S. C., preached at the Elberton Baptist Church Sunday night. He is a son of our fellow townsman, Dr. W. B. Chapman, and is spending several days with his father. He ranks high in the Baptist denomination, having recently gone from a prominent Savannah Church to Anderson.—Elberton (Ga.) Tribune.

Mrs. Lizzie Bowen, widow of the late Monroe Bowen, died at her home in Varennes Township last Saturday morning, aged about 60 years. She was most highly esteemed by her friends and neighbors, who deeply regret her death. Her remains were interred last Sunday morning in the Varennes Presbyterian Churchyard, she having long been a devoted member of that Church.

The dwelling house and nearly all of its contents of Mr. E. B. C. Snipes, in Centerville Township, was destroyed by fire on Thursday while he was away from home. It is unknown how the fire originated. Mrs. Snipes was in the house and it was almost enveloped in the flames when she discovered it was on fire. The loss amounts to about \$700, partly covered by insurance in the Anderson Mutual Insurance Company.

Russell Clarence, a 11-year-old son of Mr. J. C. Templeton, died at his home in this city last Sunday morning at 3 o'clock. He had been afflicted with paralysis of his lower limbs for more than six months, and was an exceedingly bright boy. On Sunday afternoon the funeral services were conducted at the home of the bereaved parents by Rev. J. B. Campbell, after which the remains were interred in Silver Brook Cemetery.

Married, at the home of the bride's parents, in this city, on Thursday afternoon, August 9, 1900, by Rev. J. D. Chapman, Prof. A. L. Smethers, of York, Pa., and Miss Roy A. Nance, daughter of Judge R. Y. H. Nance. The happy couple remained in the city until yesterday, when they left for the home of the groom. The bride is one of Anderson's most accomplished young ladies, and the groom is fortunate in winning her hand and heart.

Mr. Wm. F. Lee has withdrawn his name as a candidate for the House of Representatives from this County. He is employed by the Anderson Light and Power Co. as its supervising engineer of the improvements now going on in Port Royal Shoals, and it was impossible for him to attend any of the County campaign meetings. Mr. Lee would make an able and energetic Representative, and his many friends will regret that he has withdrawn from the race.

Mr. H. Frank McGee, of the house of Aug. W. Smith, will leave for New York next Saturday, to assist in buying a stock of goods for Spartanburg. This means the departure of Mr. McGee from Abbeville. He will henceforth make his home in Spartanburg. Everybody in Abbeville regrets that he and M. Smith are going away. More public spirited citizens would be hard to find.—Abbeville Press and Banner.

Mr. McGee is an old Anderson boy, and we join his many friends here in wishing him big success in his new home.

Fire was discovered under the stage in the Opera House yesterday at noon. The alarm was responded promptly to the alarm, and the flames were soon extinguished with a few buckets of water. The damage was slight. Only a small hole was burned through the ceiling of Cobb & Crayton's store, which was the first appearance of a bright spot of waste paper had been placed under the stage through a trap door by the janitor, and the fire is supposed to have been caused by a rat and match, as a few of the latter were found on the floor. It is fortunate that the fire did not occur at night.

Mr. A. E. Patterson died at his home, five miles southeast of this place, yesterday morning, aged 63 years. He had been afflicted with rheumatism for about five years, during which time his suffering was beyond description. He was a consistent member of the Baptist Church, and lived a noble, upright life. His wife predeceased him 11 months and 2 days, and his remains were laid to rest beside her this morning at 11 o'clock in the cemetery of the Presbyterian Church, with Masonic honors. He was a member of Pendleton Lodge, A. F. M. The Pendleton Lodge, Westminster and Seneca Lodges were invited to participate in the funeral services. He was a native of Oconee County, having been

born and reared on the Cherry farm, on Seneca river. For 34 years he resided in Anderson County, but 4 years ago he moved back to his native County. He leaves 8 children to mourn his death.—Wallhalla Courier.

At the State campaign meeting held here last Friday, ex-soldiers of Co. "C," 1st S. C. V., of this section, remembered their friend, Col. Jas. H. Tillman, who is a candidate for Lieutenant Governor, with a beautiful bouquet of flowers, which was declared by all the candidates the finest given to any candidate during the whole campaign. The flowers were sewed on a large fan, which was completely hidden from view, and the handle of the fan was wrapped in narrow ribbon of red, white and blue, with long pieces of the national colors hanging from the handle of the fan. Colonel Tillman sent the flowers by express to his wife in Edgfield.

Last Saturday night Robert Donaldson, and on Sunday his brother, Will. Donaldson, were lodged in Jail, charged with passing counterfeit money. Both are young negroes, and confessed that they had been given the counterfeit dollars by their uncle, Charlie Cunningham, who has recently completed a term of two years' imprisonment in the penitentiary for counterfeiting. Yesterday Messrs. J. B. McAdams, Frank Skelton and Gilmer Todd brought in Cunningham, having arrested him in the little County. On his person they found some counterfeit metal and several counterfeit dollars, and at his home more of them were secured. No molds or tools were found. Cunningham is a sharp rascal, with a fair education, and no doubt will get a long term in the penitentiary this time.

Death of an Excellent Woman.

A gloom is cast over our community by the unexpected death of Mrs. Maggie Major, the beloved wife of Mr. Joe. W. Major. She had been in bad health for some time, but was not confined to her home until she passed away. Her failure supervened and she passed away from earth to heaven at 5 p. m. on the 12th. She was buried Monday at Sandy Springs, amid a concourse of sorrowing friends. Rev. R. E. Stackhouse, pastor, conducted the funeral services. She was about fifty years old, and leaves a husband and five children, one of whom is Mrs. John Pruitt, of Rock Mills, to mourn their irreplaceable loss. She had been for many years a member of the Methodist Church, and was a noble Christian woman, whom to know was to love. All are ready to proclaim how well she filled her duties in life as wife, mother and neighbor. She spoke ill of no one, and no one spoke any ill of her. The example of her sweet, gentle life has left its impress on many, and the world is better for her having lived in it. The sympathy of many friends went out to her husband and children, who are so deeply bereaved by her death. Many days they will "long for the touch of a vanished hand, and the sound of a voice that is still." May the heavenly Father comfort them. INCOGNITA.

Denver, Aug. 14, 1900.

LOST—On the road from Anderson to Flat Rock a good Coat. Reward, if left at Intelligence office. Confederate Badge in pocket.

If you expect to buy a Cider Mill it will pay you to see us before purchasing. Brook Bros.

Twenty-five Dollars will buy a fairly good square practice Piano at the C. A. Reed Music House. They are intrinsically worth double that amount.

Jobbers prices on "Sabana," "Early Bird" and "Blue Jay" Tobacco. Lowest prices on Flour, Coffee, Corn, Bacon, and heavy Groceries. Vandiver Bros.

McCormick Mowers are perfectly built throughout. No guess-work in their construction. They are not only the strongest machines built but will run lighter than any others. The Dynamometer test shows it. In August, 1899, extensive scientific tests were made at Worth, Ill., in very heavy along grass, where the cutting was extremely hard, the grass going two tons per acre. The average of a large number of runs was, for the McCormick 230 2 3/4 pounds draft; for the first competitor 265 2 3/4 pounds; and for the second competitor 272 pounds, &c. If you want the lightest draft Mower on the market get a McCormick from Sullivan Hdw. Co.

We offer this week hundreds of pairs of Sample Shoes at prices to please. Come quick while we have your number. Prices on these Shoes too cheap to quote. Vandiver Bros.

Blue and White Fruit Boilers. At Jno. T. Burris.

McCormick Mowers are so strong that running into stumps with a quick team fails to injure them in any way. Where the other fellow chokes down, the McCormick goes through flying. Other Mowers will cut where the grass is thin or an average crop, but when you cut into grass that is heavy in spots you may look out for trouble unless you have a McCormick. Sullivan Hdw. Co. are general selling agents for the McCormick.

Iron King Stoves are considered the best. Buy one. Osborne & Osborne Sole Agents.

A full line of Chattanooga Case Mills and Genuine Cook's Evaporators and Furnaces, and we will make prices that will be interesting. Brook Bros.

Who is to benefit? Who will lose? If it's a Piano you're buying come here to choose, and we will convince you that you, at least, have lost nothing. The C. A. Reed Music House.

The position of Resident Manager of the EQUITABLE LIFE ASSURANCE SOCIETY for Anderson and vicinity is open to a man of character and ability. A favorable contract, carrying renewals, will be given to right man. W. J. Roney, Manager, Rock Hill, S. C.

The McCormick is the lightest, smoothest running machine in the world. Its cutting is perfect. You cannot stick it. It is the machine for your dollars because you get more use with this machine on the farm than if your dollars were in your pocket. You can use the McCormick in new land—rough and full of stumps. The McCormick is the king in the meadow and the boss among stumps. Sullivan Hdw. Co. invite you to come and examine the McCormick.

If you want to keep the flies out of your dining-room go to Brook Bros. and let them supply you in Wire Gauze Doors, Windows and Fly Fans.

Iron King Stoves are sold in Anderson only by Osborne & Osborne.

Send Jars, Fruit Jars! At Jno. T. Burris.

This is our greatest year. We are proud of our record, and are striving by every honest means to win a better to-morrow. Give us a trial if you have never done so before.

Brook Bros. can sell you a good "Gem" Ice Cream Freezer cheap—any size.

Have hot water pipes run from your stove to bath room. Try Osborne & Osborne.

Something new in Lawn Mowers—guaranteed to give satisfaction—At Brook Bros.

Pot Plants and Cut Flowers for sale. Large and small Palms a specialty. Mrs. J. F. Clinkscales, 242 North Main St.

Roofing, tin work, galvanized iron work and all things done on short notice by Osborne & Osborne.

Best Brick Store in Landonia, Ga., for rent; also good two-horse farm. Will rent or sell. Apply to T. H. Roberts, Landonia, Ga. 6-4.

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EVERY man owes himself two Suits of Clothes.

A change makes him feel like a new man.

It's a cooler one we want to sell you.

We have all the—

New Things

In Flannels, Stripes and Plaids—round and square cut, double breast and straight cut.

Prices from \$5.00 to \$12.50.

All Cassimeres, Plain and Fancy Worsteds greatly reduced.

You can't afford to buy a Suit of any kind before seeing the Cut Prices we are now giving.

You had better call early to get your size, as they are going rapidly.

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OUR ENTIRE STOCK OF—

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Come early, before the sizes are broken. No Goods charged.

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Try our CHILL TONIC.

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WROTE its first Policy Sept. 23, 1896, and has made only two assessments since it commenced business. This is a great deal cheaper than you can get fire insurance elsewhere. Any of our Policy-holders will tell you that. Other people have saved money by placing their fire insurance in this Company, and it is confidently believed you can.

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